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In re Application of:

LISITSA et al.

Art Unit: 2143

Application No. 09/310,596


Examiner: Vaughn Jr., William C.

Filed: May 12, 1999

For: EFFICIENT SPLITTING AND MIXING OF STREAMING-DATA FRAMES FOR  
PROCESSING THROUGH MULTIPLE PROCESSING MODULES**AMENDMENT D**Commissioner for Patents  
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